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Paul Arell
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Dear Paul:

Enclosed is a discovery form for a site in Utah that was recently brought to our attention and a copy of the report we received regarding the site. The site is located in a heavily used recreational area a few miles southeast of Salt Lake City, and actually consists of three mines that are located within approximately 1½ miles of each other. We have grouped them as one site because the information provided to us indicates that any potential contamination resulting from the sites would damage the same drainage system. Further investigation will assist in verification of the information, and allow evaluation of potential targets.

Because it appears that hazardous substances may be or are present at this site, additional investigations are necessary to assess potential threats to human health and the environment. We consequently request inclusion of this site on the CERCLIS data base. Please notify us when the site is placed on the list.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Brad Johnson at (801) 536-4100

Sincerely,

Ursula K. Trueman, Superfund Branch Manager
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